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Page 2 Journal - Office of Legislative Counsel Tuesday - 4 May 1971 25X1 In the absence of Lawerence Barker, in the office of Senator Thomas F. Eagleton (D., Mo.), left with the Senator's receptionist a CRS "Chiefs of State" publication. 25X1 Ralph Preston, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee, called to say that Chairman Mahon had a friend whose son was planning to visit Russia on a tour under the auspices of the American Institute for Foreign Study and wanted to know if we had any derogatory information on this organization, since the young man hopes later to apply for Government employment. Talked with John Martiny, Counsel, 25X1 8. House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, who, after consulting Chairman Hanley, Subcommittee on Employee Benefits, said that the Chairman would be glad to discuss with me our problems on the Ervin bill on Thursday, 6 May, at 2:30 p.m. Miss Hendricks, in the office of Represer25X1 25X1 tative Richard Ichord (D., Mo.), called and requested a personnel interview for a constituent, Mr. Carl H. Cotterill. After checking with OP, I called Miss Hendricks and the appointment was arranged for 11 a.m., Thursday, 6 May. Advised the office of Representative Don 25X1 10. Edwards (D., Calif.) that the Congressman's letter and the copy of the letter from Mrs. Carolle J. Carter which was supposedly sent to the Director had been referred to the OSS/SSU archives offices for direct reply to Mrs. Carter. I said we would forward the Congressman a copy of that correspondence. Alerted Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate 25X1 11. Armed Services Committee, to the fact that the Director was sending a letter to GAO asking that the Agency be excused from participating in the study on Soviet and U.S. military R&D expenditures. Braswell said the Committee would be having hearings on the free world forces authorization on Thursday and asked if up and brief him on Agency funding of any of these forces (See Memorandum for the Record). I mentioned in passing that the Director would be testifying before Senator Church's Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs of Senate Foreign Relations Committee tomorrow.

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25X1	During a weekend in Charlottesville, I discussed with Senator Hugh Scott, who is a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, our problem regarding Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty. Senator Scott said that Assistant Secretary of State for Congressional Relations David Abshire had mentioned this to him and he anticipated no problem in the Foreign Relations Committee with the legislation we had in mind. I also mentioned to Senator Scott, who is also a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee, that I would like to see him sometime at his convenience
	to explain to him our concern about the Ervin bill to protect the privacy of Federal employees. He said he was travelling to the Far East shortly and might not have an opportunity to discuss this until his return late in May.
25X1	2. At a social gathering over the weekend, I mentioned to Senator John Tunney, of the Senate Judiciary Committee, our concern over the Ervin bill which he said he would be glad to discuss in detail at a later date.
25X1	3. Talked to Harry Symmes, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Congressional Relations, and brought him up-to-date on my conversations last Thursday and Friday with Senator George McGovern and Miss Flora Lewis, the columnist, regarding Senator McGovern's inquiry about possible Agency involvement in Southeast Asian drug traffic. See Journals of 29 and 30 April 1971.
25X1	Met with Pat Holt, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, who said that they had set aside the entire morning for the Director's testimony on Brazil before the Church Subcommittee on 5 May, but probably would not use all of this time. He did not expect any questions beyond those he had already provided us, and doubted that there would be more than about ten members present.